

Archaeological Investigations
I-94 East-West and Stadium Interchange
70th Street to 25th Street
National Avenue to Lisbon Avenue
Milwaukee County
Project ID: 1060-27-00

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY/ABSTRACT

Preliminary Archaeological Investigations were conducted along the IH-94 corridor popularly referred to as the Stadium Interchange. Improvements need to be made in order to accommodate increased traffic, deteriorated pavement, and high crash rate along this corridor. It was the task of the archaeological investigation to examine the archaeological resources within the vicinity of this corridor to assist in future planning.

Background documents search into the Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database indicated that 6 archaeological sites were listed immediately adjacent to the exiting highway right of way. Three of these were prehistoric sites. Two of the three were also listed as burial sites. Field examination failed to detect any intact and exposed ground surfaces adjacent to the existing right of way. Another three of the six sites were historic cemeteries. All three of these cemeteries are active today. The original boundaries of all three of these cemeteries were located within the exiting right of way of IH-94. These boundaries were adjusted during the construction of IH-94 in the 1950s.

Historic records and oral interview suggest that two of the three cemeteries never actively interred human remains within the areas deeded to the State of Wisconsin for the construction of IH-94. Documents do suggest, however, that one site, the Wood National Cemetery (BMI-0026), removed at least 42 human graves from the future right of way of IH-94 in the 1950s. The only evidence of this move is a notation on a 1957 Wisconsin Department of Transportation drainage map. There is no evidence at this time that graves were covered over during the construction of IH-94.

It should be noted that the Wood National Cemetery is part of the Nation Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers National Historic Landmark and a contributing element in a National Register of Historic Places District. The other two cemeteries will be evaluated for eligibility to the National Register of Historic Places in attached to this document.

DESCRIPTION OF UNDERTAKING

This is a preliminary study. It has not yet been determined what improvements will be made on the existing corridor as outlined in Attachment 2.

PROJECT AREA and AREA OF POTENTIAL EFFECT

The area under investigation was the segment of IH-94 between 70th Street and 25th Street and the segment of USH 41 between National Avenue and Lisbon Avenue. It should be noted that all properties immediately adjacent to the exiting right of way are developed urban land. The only exception to this are the areas immediately adjacent to the existing right of way that are cemetery land.

CH2M-Hill provided ARI with project location information including a site sketch delineating the location of the proposed project area and supporting information.

PROJECT LOCATION INFORMATION

The project area is located in the following section, township and range:

Milwaukee County, Wisconsin
Milwaukee 7.5 Minute USGS Quadrangles
T7N, R21E, Sections 25, 26, 27, 34, 35, 36
Civil Township: Milwaukee
(SEE ATTACHMENT 2)

BACKGROUND DOCUMENTARY and LITERATURE SEARCH

Please see attached Archaeological Literature and Records Review (Form DT 1459).

AFFECTED ENVIRONMENT

It is necessary to understand the geomorphology and topography of the project area prior to conducting field investigations. Any such study necessitates a discussion of not only physiography, but also soils, drainage systems, and present land uses. These factors contribute to an understanding of what the prehistoric and historic landscape looked like at the time of site formation as compared to

the present landscape.

Physiographic setting

Paull and Paull (1977), following Martin (1965), have divided Wisconsin into four physical provinces. These are the Northern Highland, the Central Plain, the Western Upland, and the Eastern Ridges and Lowlands (see **ATTACHMENT 1**). The project area is located in the Eastern Ridges and Lowlands. This province is underlain by an extensive series of anticlines and synclines that express themselves most strongly in the Niagara cuesta and escarpment, which extends down the Door Peninsula and along a southerly course from the eastern shore of Lake Winnebago. The cuesta slopes gently towards the Lake Michigan basin, creating a divide between the Lake Michigan and Upper Fox River drainage basins.

The province has been affected by a series of glaciations. These include the intrusion of the Green Bay glacial lobe and the creation of ice-dammed glacial lakes ancestral to today's Lake Michigan and Lake Winnebago. As a result, this portion of the province is mantled with a complex series of ground, end, and lateral moraines, sheet till, outwash, and glacio-fluvial and glacio-lacustrine sediments. The project area is located within a broad vegetative zone dominated by a mesic deciduous forest regime typified by sugar maple, basswood, and white and black oak (Curtis 1959).

GROUND COVER

The field survey was then conducted during June, July and August 2012 by David J. Keene, Ph.D., RPA. The entire project area was urban streetscape there were no areas of undisturbed ground surface within the project area. The only exception to this were the areas now used as active cemeteries.

INVESTIGATION TECHNIQUE

Field methods consisted of an initial visual inspection of all areas. Shovel testing was not conducted there were no intact or exposed ground surfaces in the urban portions of the project area. Shovel testing was not conducted in the three active cemeteries.

RESULTS

Research into archaeological site files and historic documents suggest that

there are six archaeological sites within the boundaries of the proposed project area. Two prehistoric sites MI-0030(BMI-0158) and MI-0087(BMI-0159) prehistoric burials were discovered in both of these sites and both sites are not catalogued. One historic Indian village MI-0188, the Menominee Valley Village Site is located in the northern most portion of the project area. In addition there were three historic cemeteries recorded with the boundaries of the project area: BMI-0025, the Spring Hill Cemetery; BMI-0024, the Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfarad Cemetery; and, BMI-0026, the Wood National Cemetery were located immediately adjacent to the project corridor (see **Attachment 4**).

Concerning MI-0030 (BMI-0158; not catalogued) the Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database states:

This site is located south of Blue Mound Road, at the former location of the Story Brothers Limestone Quarry-- now near the I-94/I-41 interchange. This site consists of a Native American cemetery discovered during gravel quarrying. MPM records indicate that a single burial and associated artifacts were found about 15 feet below the crest of the hill (Brown says five feet). It was badly disturbed by a charge of dynamite, and noted by workmen after some bones rolled down the hill. Copper artifacts were found with the remains.

At the time of this investigation the portions of this site located within the boundaries of this project area were completely disturbed by existing roadway, concrete, and surface parking facilities. There were no intact or exposed ground surfaces within project boundaries in order to conduct shovel testing. No testing permit was acquired for testing on this site since there were no exposed ground surfaces upon which to test. The portion of this site within the APE has been radically altered by previous construction activity (**Attachment 7**).

Concerning MI-0087(BMI-0159; not catalogued) the Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database states:

This site is located at the western end of Park Hill Terrace, near Merrill Park. Burials were found while excavating a

gravel pit at this location. No further information is available.

At the time of this investigation the portions of this site within the project APE were complete disturbed by previous road and residential construction activity. There were no intact or exposed ground surfaces. Consequently, there was no opportunity to conduct subsurface archaeological testing within the boundaries of this site (**Attachment 8**).

Concerning MI-0188 the Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database states:

This site is located on the banks and bluffs of the Menominee River, from the Gettelman Brewery (44th and State Street) westward. This site consists of a village inhabited by several hundred Potawatomi and Menominee. A 1904 article specifies that the village as being composed of 250 wigwams or households. Update 2007: Site has either been destroyed by industrial development or was located further north on the bluffs north of the river.

At the time of this investigation the entire portion of the site within the boundaries of the project area are disturbed by modern industrial and commercial development.

Concerning BMI-0025, the Spring Hill Cemetery, the Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database indicates that this is a catalogued cemetery.

According to documents collected by the Museum Archaeology Program (Hamilton 2012) the original northern boundaries of the cemetery extended into the current right of way of IH-94. Right of way was purchased by the State of Wisconsin in the 1950s. According to Mr. Michael Schumann the current executive director, the cemetery was founded in 1876. Mr. Schumann has been associated with the cemetery since the 1960s. It is his opinion that prior to the construction of IH-94 no human graves were located in the northern portion of the cemetery. He has in his possession all plats of burials for the cemetery. It was the practice at Spring Hill to plat sections of the cemetery for graves as needed. The entire cemetery was not platted for graves at its founding.

There are no plats in the cemetery records for the northern portion of the cemetery that includes the current right of way of IH-94. At the time of our conversation there were in the process of completing the plat of the northern portion of the cemetery up to the boundary line as it runs along current west bound lanes of IH-94. That plat and other information can be found in **Attachments 9-11**.

Concerning BMI-0024, the Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard Cemetery, the Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database indicates that this is a catalogued cemetery.

This cemetery was established in 1924 and continues to be an active Jewish Orthodox Cemetery. It is recorded as a catalogued burial site in the Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database. The current southern boundaries of the cemetery run up directly against the right of way of west bound lanes of IH-94. Documents collected by the Museum Archaeology Program (Hamilton 2012) suggest that the original southern boundaries of the cemetery extended into the current right of way of IH-94. In the 1950s the State of Wisconsin purchased cemetery property for the proposed highway right of way. According the Rabbi Melech Lensky, the current executive director of the cemetery, there is no documentation in the cemetery records to suggest that there were ever graves in this portion of the cemetery or that any were ever moved for the construction of I-94.

A current plat of graves showing the location of all known graves and their relationship to the current alignment of IH-94 was provided by the cemetery (See **Attachments 12-14**).

Concerning **BMI-0026**, the Wood National Cemetery, the Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database lists this site as not catalogued. It is, however, both on the National Register of Historic Places and a contributing property in the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers National Historic Landmark. The human graves in this cemetery are protected by the Archaeological Resource Protection Act of 1970, as amended; the Native American Graves Protection

and Repatriation Act; and applicable section of Section 106 and 110 of the National Historic Preservation Act.

The Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database states:

This cemetery is divided into three parcels. One small parcel lies north of I-94, east of the Beth Hamedrosh Cemetery (BMI-0024) and south of Calvary Cemetery (BMI-0023). The main parcel is south of I-94, east of Spring Hill Cemetery, extending from the interstate south to a railroad cut. A newer, third, section of the cemetery is located south of the railroad cut, extending southward to a VA hospital complex.

This cemetery is a U.S. National cemetery containing nearly 40,000 interments. The cemetery was established in 1871 as Soldier Home Cemetery to inter the remains of soldiers who died under the care of the soldier's hospital. The cemetery was designed by Thomas Budd Van Home, who designed the Gettysburg National Cemetery. With respect to other National cemeteries, the Wood Cemetery is second in size only to Arlington. It became a National Cemetery in 1973. Those buried in the cemetery include four Medal of Honor recipients, members of the 54th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry (made famous in the movie *Glory*), and veterans of conflicts ranging from the war of 1812 to the Iraq war.

Established in 1871 as the Soldier Home Cemetery on the grounds of the National Asylum for Disabled Soldiers it was renamed "Wood Cemetery" in 1937 in honor of General George Wood. Currently the cemetery is located both north and south of IH94. A 1957 Grading and Drainage Plan prepared by the Wisconsin Department of Transportation outlines an area labeled "42 graves" under the current IH-94 right of way (see **Attachments 15-18**).

According to Al Richburg, Director Wood National Cemetery, no documentation appears to exist concerning the location of this removal/relocation. He said that, "the VA likely has no records of the number of graves that were moved when the freeway was built. At that time all records were on individual cards. To avoid possible confusion, those cards may have been destroyed and a new one created when graves were relocated."

Soldiers' Home Reef

One resource that is neither a standing structure nor an archaeological site, but is on the National Register of Historic Places and a National Historic Landmark is the Soldiers' Home Reef.

This geological feature is in the Menomonee River Valley near Milwaukee and was discovered by Increase A. Lapham in the 1830s. By the 1860s it was recognized that this feature was the remains of an ancient fossil reefs, making them the first ancient reefs described in North America and among the first described anywhere in the world.

Soldiers' Home Reef is a rock hill on the south bluff of the Menomonee River valley in the SE1/4, NW1/4, NE1/4, Section 35, T7N, R21E, Wauwatosa Township, Milwaukee 7.5' quadrangle, Clement J. Zablocki Veterans Affairs Center, Milwaukee, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, approximately 300 feet south of the Milwaukee County Stadium. The boundary follows the north and east face of the reef for approximately 560 feet and then back about 250 feet from that face as shown in **Attachement 19**.

As a National Historic Landmark this feature cannot be disturbed by construction activity of any kind.

CONCLUSION

Background site search revealed that there were three previously reported prehistoric archaeological sites within or immediately adjacent to the project area as well as three active cemeteries. Field investigation indicates that there are no intact archaeological deposits in or immediately adjacent to the current I-94 corridor that will be affected by this project. Urban development with

commercial, residential, and infrastructure development appears to have destroyed any intact subsurface evidence of these sites.

The three cemeteries were also of some concern to planners. Research into the cemeteries indicates that two of the cemeteries; Spring Hill and Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard deeded some acreage to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation in the 1950s for the construction of IH-94. The acres deeded appear never to have contained human graves. In addition there is no indication that human graves were encountered on these acres during the construction of IH-94.

Wood National Cemetery on the other hand also deeded acres to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation in the 1950s, but documents suggest that 42 human graves were moved from these acres prior to the construction of IH-94.

At this time there is no evidence that human graves are located under the existing pavement of IH-94 on acreage deeded by these cemeteries. In addition there is no evidence that any human graves once under the care of these three cemeteries are now located outside the current legal property lines of these cemeteries.

Wood National Cemetery is on the National Register of Historic Places. Spring Hill Cemetery and Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard Cemetery are not. As part of this investigation an attempt was made to gather information on both of these cemeteries to determine if they are eligible for inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places. We found that they do not meet the criteria for eligibility as set for cemeteries by the National Register. Documentation is attached.

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ARCHAEOLOGICAL LITERATURE AND RECORDS REVIEW

DT1459 3/2003

Wisconsin Department of Transportation

PROJECT INFORMATION

Project ID 1060-27-00	Highway/Street I-94 East-West and Stadium Interchange)	County Milwaukee	SHSW Compliance Number
Project Termini 70 th Street to 25 th Street & National Avenue to Lisbon Avenue			
Township(s) Milwaukee	Town/Range T7N; R21E	Sections 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 34, 35, 36	
USGS Quadrangle(s) Greensdale and Franksville			

SOURCES RESEARCHED

☐ See Continuation Sheet

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SITES IN PROJECT AREA

☒ See Continuation Sheet

Total Number of Sites	Prehistoric	Historic	Cemeteries/Burials
	3	4	5
Code	Type	Affiliation	
#47 MI-0030	Cemetery/Burial/Not Catalogued	Old Copper	
#47 MI-0087	Campsite/Village/Cemetery/Burial/Not Catalogued	Unknown Prehistoric	
#47 BMI-0024	Cemetery/Burial/Catalogued	Historic EuroAmerican	

SITES WITHIN ONE MILE OF THE PROJECT AREA

☒ See Continuation Sheet

Total Number of Sites	Prehistoric	Historic	Cemeteries/Burials
	3	4	3
Code	Type	Affiliation	
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#47 BMI-0182	Cemetery Burial	Historic EuroAmerican	
#47 MI-0395	Campsite Village	Late Archaic/Woodland	
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Research Conducted by David Keene		Date 5/1/2012	

I certify that the literature search was done according to the Wisconsin Survey Guidelines.

David Keene

(Print Name of Archaeologist)

Archaeological Research, Inc.

(Print Name of Firm or Institution)

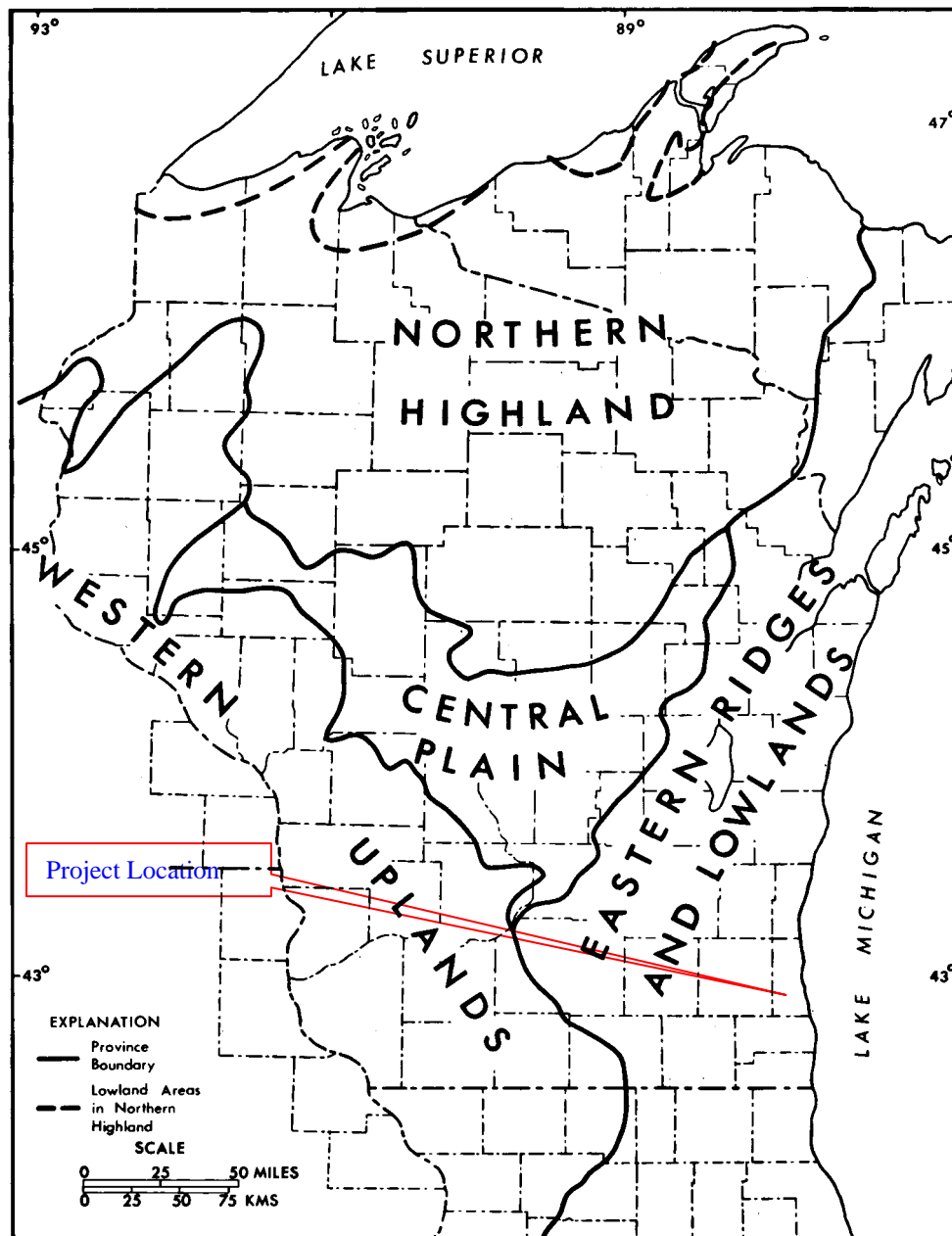
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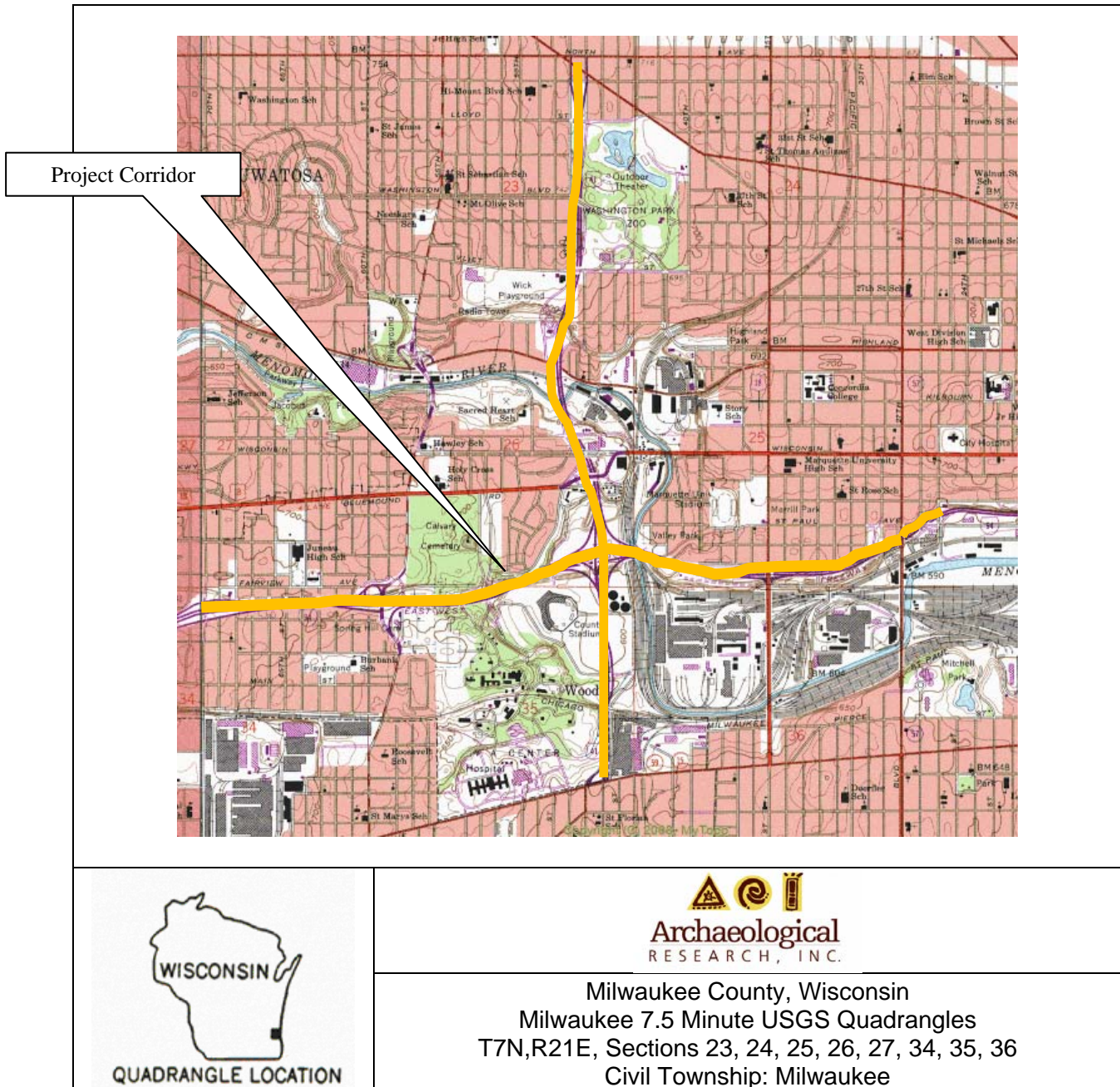
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Attachment 1: Project Location Map



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Attachment 2: Project Location Map



Attachment 3. Project Location in relationship to cemeteries

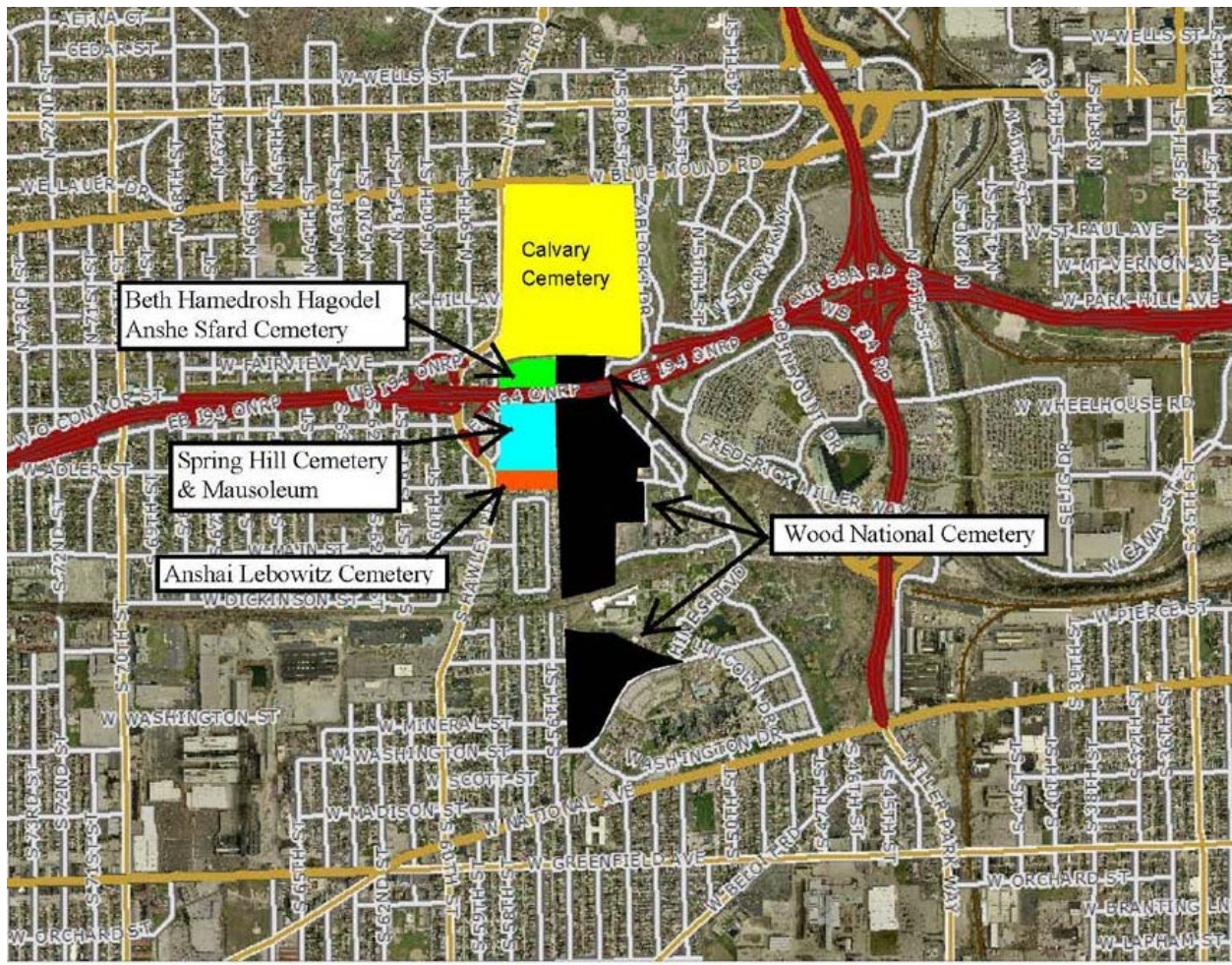
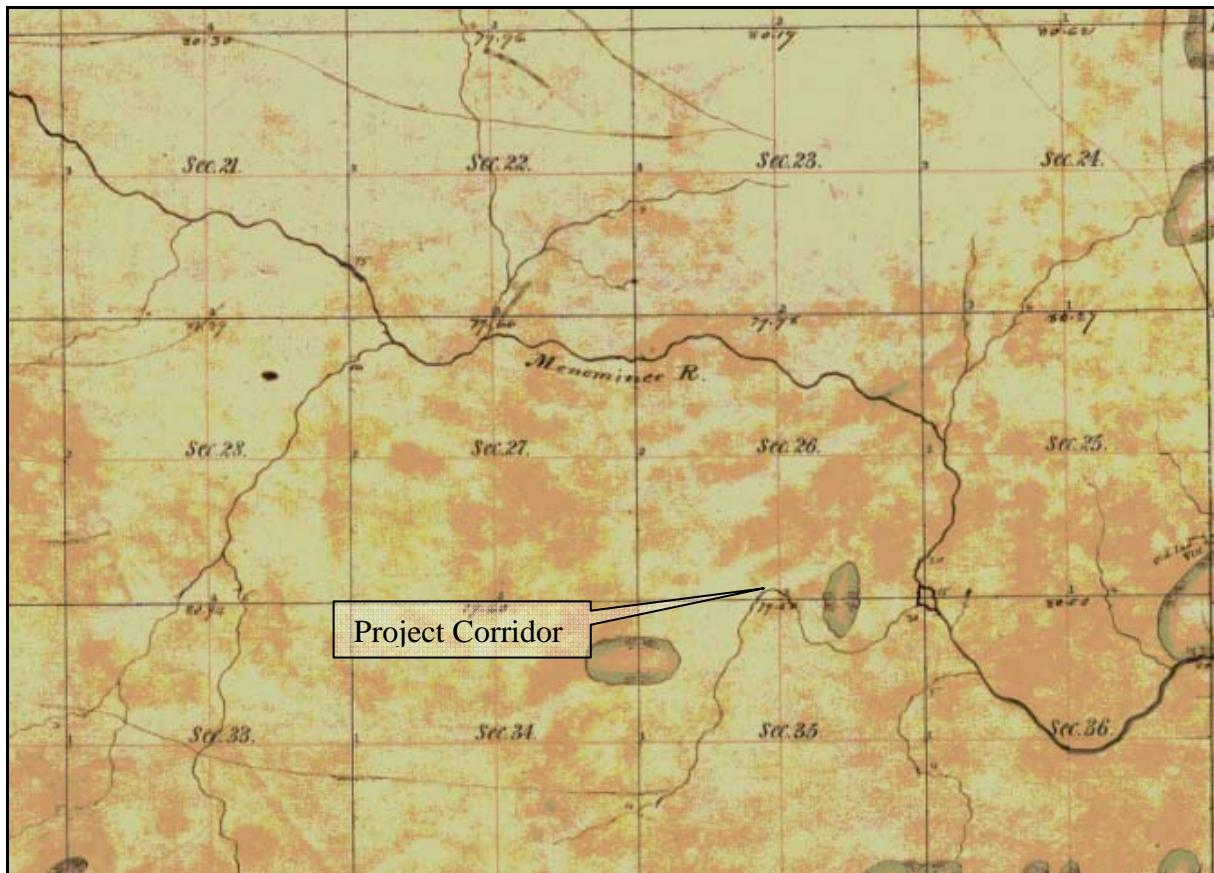


Image provided by Museum Archaeology Program State Historical Society of Wisconsin

Attachment 4. Archaeological Sites within and near the project area

Attachment 5. 1836 Public Land Survey showing project area



Source: Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database



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Attachment 7. Photo within the boundaries of MI-0030




This photo is taken from the northwest quadrant of the intersection of IH-94 and USH 41. Note asphalt parking surface and expressway in the background.

Attachment 8. Photo taken within the boundaries of MI-0087



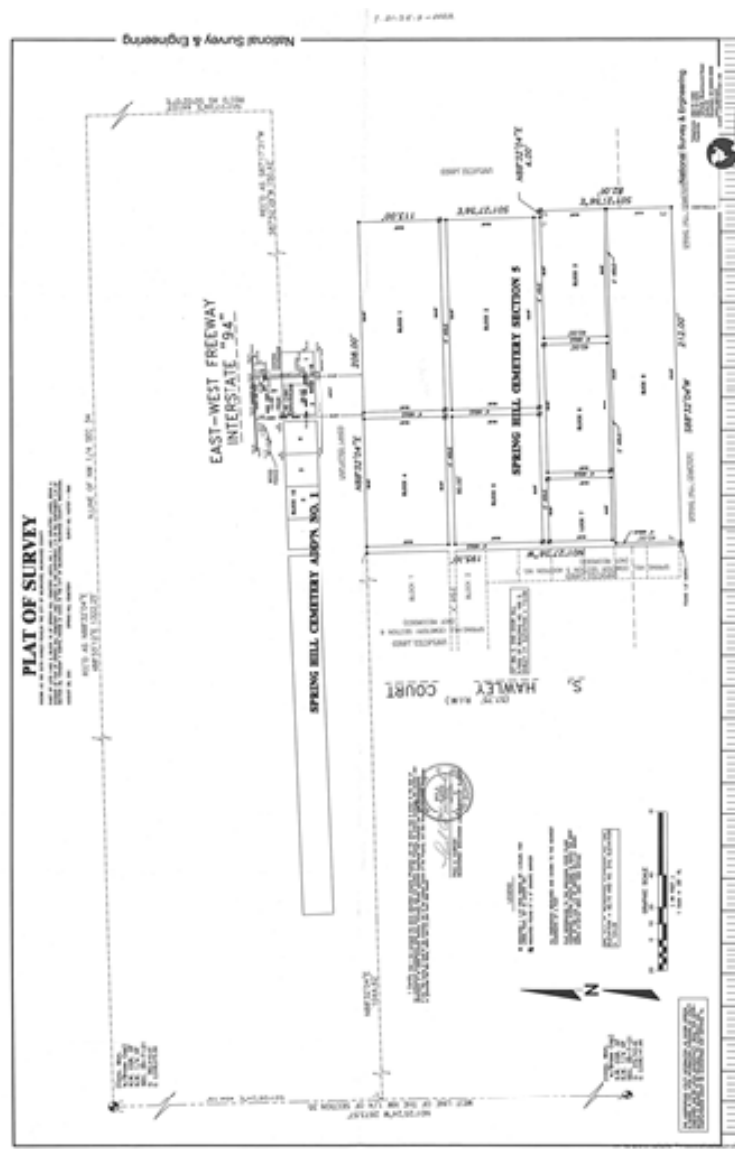
View to the east. Note the fence and the trees are the IH-94 right of way. The ground surface in this photo is approximately 80 feet higher than the road surface of IH-94 just a few feet south of the fence and tree line shown here.

Attachment 9. Spring Hill Cemetery County

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Municipality: Milwaukee		
Acres: 21.04		
Assessed Value: \$330,000		
Parcel Description: OTHER		
Zoning Description:		
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Milwaukee County Legal Description and tax parcel information

Attachment 10. Spring Hill Cemetery Plat of Survey



This is the most current plat of survey showing burial blocks within Spring Hill Cemetery. Northern most block against the right of way retaining wall is newly platted.

Attachment 11. Spring Hill Cemetery




This is the retaining wall that separates Spring Hill Cemetery from IH-94.

Attachment 12. Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard Cemetery


Milwaukee County Land Information Parcel Report

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Parcel Information

TAXKEY: 4219938000

Record Date: 03/12/1976

Owner(s): BETH HAM HAG ANSHE SFARD
C/O MELECH LENSKY

Address: 134 S DANA CT

Municipality: Milwaukee

Acres: 6.42


Assessed Value: \$102,400

Parcel Description: OTHER

Zoning Description:

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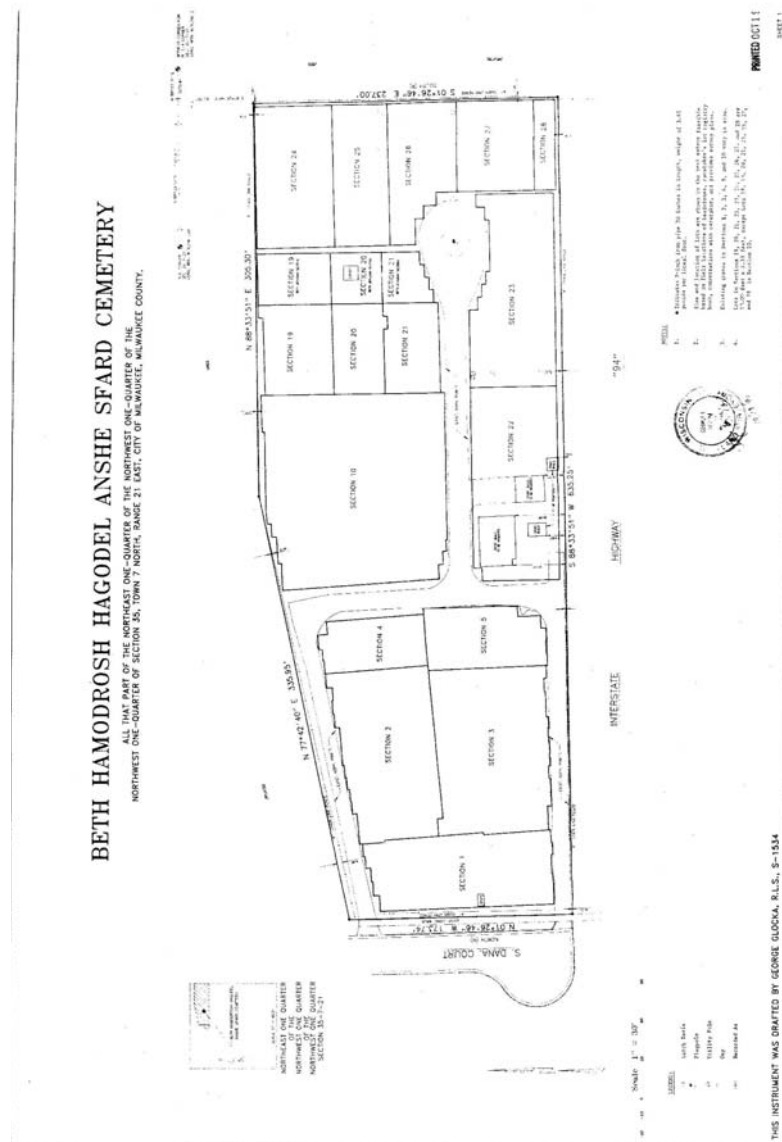
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Attachment 13. Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard Cemetery





Current Plat of Cemetery showing burial blocks 1961.

Attachment 14. Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard Cemetery



Fence separating the cemetery from IH-94 right of way.

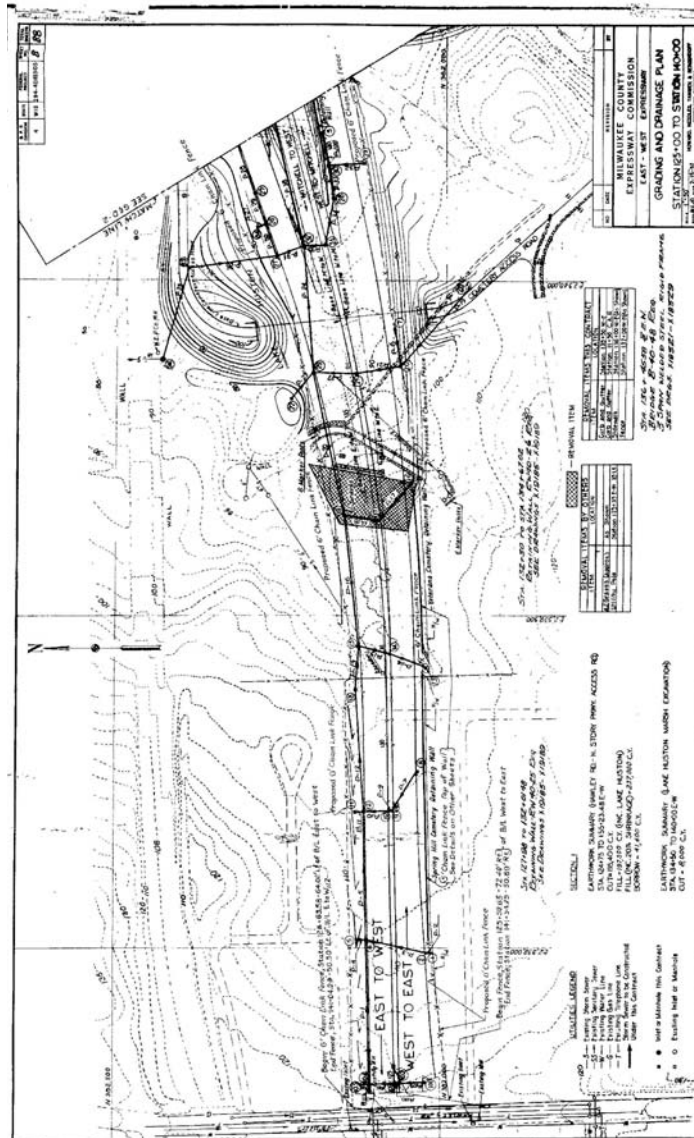
Attachment 15. Wood National Cemetery

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Municipality: Milwaukee		
Acres: 136.74		
Assessed Value: \$1,280,000		
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Zoning Description:		
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Attachment 16. Wood National Cemetery



This illustration provided by the Wisconsin Department of Transportation shows the as- built boundaries of IH-94 in 1958. It also documents an area from which 42 graves were removed prior to construction.

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Attachment 17. Wood National Cemetery



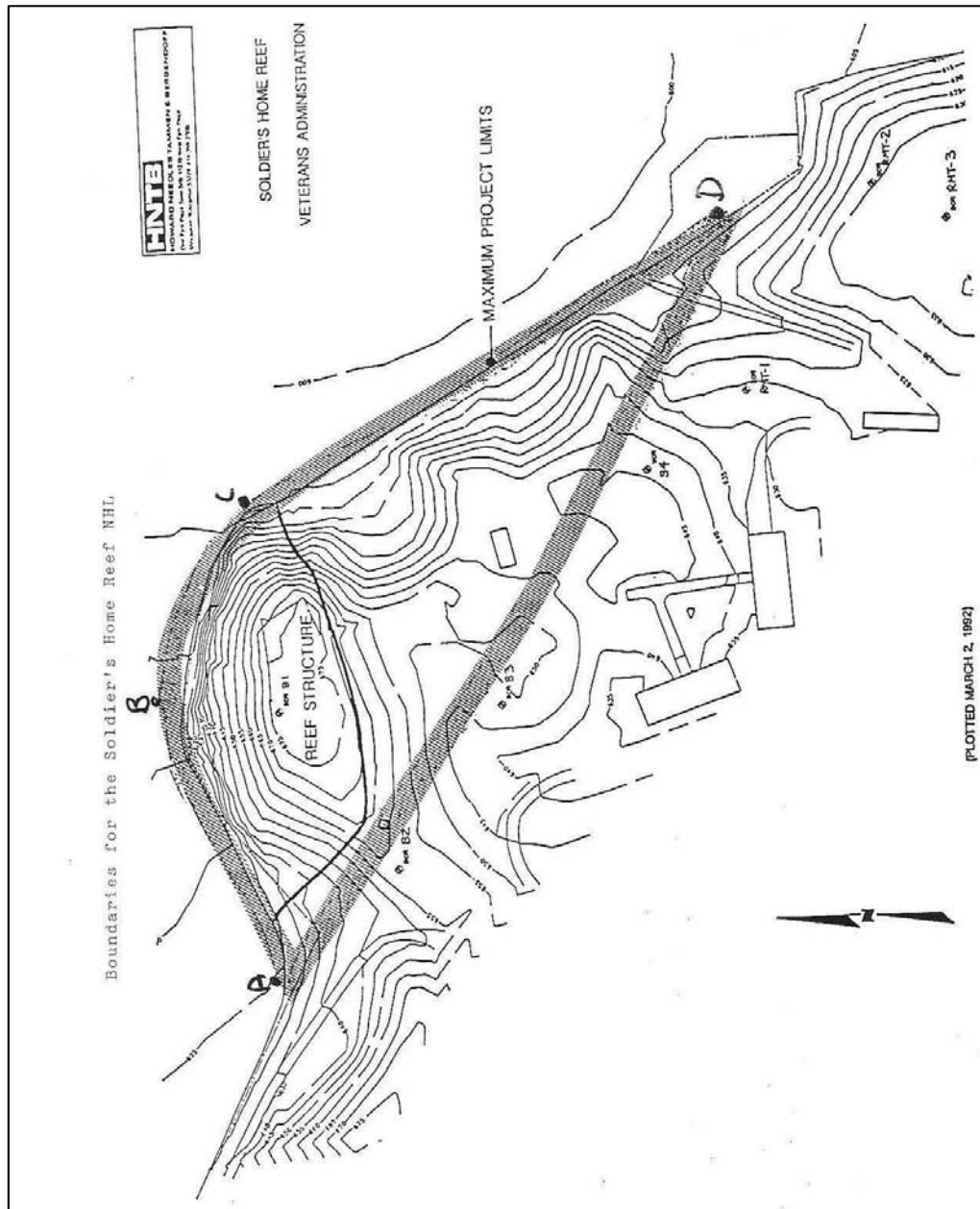
View to the west from inside the Wood National Cemetery showing the retaining wall which separates the cemetery from IH-94. This is the approximate location from where the 42 graves were removed.

Attachment 18. Wood National Cemetery



View to the east from inside Wood National Cemetery showing the fence line that separates the cemetery from IH-94

Attachment 19. Soldier's Home Reef



Soldiers' Home Reef: Veterans Administration," by Howard, Needles, Tammen & Bergendoff

Wisconsin ASI Update Form

Fill in the following information as it is presently recorded: County Milwaukee

Site # 47-MI-0188

ASI # 3581

Burial Site # _____

Site Name Menominee Valley Village

Town/Range/Sec. T7N., R21E., Section 22 and 26

USGS Quad Name Milwaukee

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HEADING(S) AND NATURE OF CORRECTION/UPDATE: Location Description

Testing and examining the portion of the site within the proposed expansion boundaries of the IH-94 East/West Project suggests that there are no intact archaeological deposits adjacent to the existing highway.

Investigator David Keene Affiliation Archaeological Research, Inc. Date September 2012

Update submitted by:

Name David Keene Affiliation Archaeological Research, Inc. Date January 2013

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Wisconsin ASI Update Form

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Site # 47-MI-0087

ASI # 3586

Burial Site # BMI-0159

Site Name Park Hill Terrace Gravel Pit Burial

Town/Range/Sec. T7N., R21E., Section 25

USGS Quad Name Milwaukee

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Site # 47-MI-0030

ASI # 3589

Burial Site # BMI-0158

Site Name Story Burials

Town/Range/Sec. T7N., R21E., Section 26

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Update submitted by:

Name David Keene Affiliation Archaeological Research, Inc. Date January 2013

(Leave this section blank-- for SHSW office use)

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CHK'D ☐ GIS Entry ☐ GIS Entry Checked ☐ ENTER _____

ENTRY CHK'D ☐

United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places Registration Form

This form is for use in nominating or requesting determinations for individual properties and districts. See instructions in National Register Bulletin, *How to Complete the National Register of Historic Places Registration Form*. If any item does not apply to the property being documented, enter "N/A" for "not applicable." For functions, architectural classification, materials, and areas of significance, enter only categories and subcategories from the instructions.

1. Name of Property

Historic name: Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard

Other names/site number: _____

Name of related multiple property listing: _____

(Enter "N/A" if property is not part of a multiple property listing)

2. Location

Street & number: 134 S Dana Court

City or town: Milwaukee State: Wisconsin County: Milwaukee

Not For Publication: ☐ Vicinity: ☐

3. State/Federal Agency Certification

As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act, as amended,

I hereby certify that this ___ nomination ___ request for determination of eligibility meets the documentation standards for registering properties in the National Register of Historic Places and meets the procedural and professional requirements set forth in 36 CFR Part 60.

In my opinion, the property ___ meets ___XX___ does not meet the National Register Criteria. I recommend that this property be considered significant at the following level(s) of significance:

___national ___X___statewide ___local

Applicable National Register Criteria:

___A ___B ___C ___D

Signature of certifying official/Title:

Date

State or Federal agency/bureau or Tribal Government

In my opinion, the property ___ meets ___ does not meet the National Register criteria.

Signature of commenting official:

Date

Title :

State or Federal agency/bureau
or Tribal Government

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4. National Park Service Certification

I hereby certify that this property is:

- ☐ entered in the National Register
- ☐ determined eligible for the National Register
- ☐ determined not eligible for the National Register
- ☐ removed from the National Register
- ☐ other (explain:) _____

Signature of the Keeper

Date of Action

5. Classification

Ownership of Property

(Check as many boxes as apply.)

Private:

☒

Public – Local

☐

Public – State

☐

Public – Federal

☐

Category of Property

(Check only **one** box.)

Building(s)

☐

District

☐

Site

☒

Structure

☐

Object

☐

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Number of Resources within Property

(Do not include previously listed resources in the count)

Contributing	Noncontributing	
<u> </u>	<u> </u>	buildings
<u> </u>	<u> </u>	sites
<u> </u>	<u> </u>	structures
<u> </u>	<u> </u>	objects
<u> </u>	<u> </u>	Total

Number of contributing resources previously listed in the National Register

6. Function or Use

Historic Functions

(Enter categories from instructions.)

 FUNERARY/cemetery

Current Functions

(Enter categories from instructions.)

 FUNERARY/cemetery

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Name of Property

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7. Description

Architectural Classification

(Enter categories from instructions.)

N/A

Materials: (enter categories from instructions.)

Principal exterior materials of the property: _____N/A_____

Narrative Description

(Describe the historic and current physical appearance and condition of the property. Describe contributing and noncontributing resources if applicable. Begin with a **summary paragraph** that briefly describes the general characteristics of the property, such as its location, type, style, method of construction, setting, size, and significant features. Indicate whether the property has historic integrity.)

Summary Paragraph

The Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard Cemetery is located on the north side of IH-94 in Milwaukee. It is bounded on the west by S. Dana Court, on the north by a utility corridor and on the east by the Wood National Cemetery. This cemetery was established in 1924 and continues to be an active Jewish Orthodox Cemetery. As an active cemetery the grounds, graves, and grave markers are well maintained. Grave and grave markers from the earliest to the most recent burials are well cared for and can clearly be seen throughout the cemetery.

Narrative Description

Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard Cemetery (1924) is located within a cluster of cemeteries which include the Anshai Lebowitz Cemetery, Wood National Cemetery (1871), Spring Hill Cemetery (1876), and Calvary Cemetery (1857). All of these cemeteries are active today and undergo regular maintenance. Each of these cemeteries reflects the beliefs and heritage of its constituents. Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard Cemetery was established in 1924 by Congregation Beth Hamedrosh Hagadol, one of the oldest congregations in Milwaukee, which was organized in 1892 by the consolidation of Anshe Jacob with Moses Montefiori Gemeinde. Much like the Anshe Lebowitz Cemetery mentioned above this cemetery contains large

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gravestones which give the appearance of crowded graves. It is an active cemetery, well kept, with very little evidence of regular visitors.

The Anshe Lebowitz cemetery to the south is a Conservative Jewish Cemetery with ties to the Russian Jewish Immigrant Community in Milwaukee. Many of the grave stones are large and very close together with a crowded look. It has the look of a cemetery well cared for but not often visited. According to Jewish Burial Customs described in literature provided by the various Jewish mortuary chapels, "Judaism teaches that mourners should not show excessive grief and should avoid deifying the deceased. To this end, cemetery visitation should not be too frequent." (<http://jewish-funeral-home.com/Jewish-burial-customs.html>)

The Wood National Cemetery to the east of Spring Hill is a military cemetery. As is typical of American Military Cemeteries throughout the United States the stone grave markers are all of the same size and color. Graves are all evenly spaced. There are monuments interspersed throughout the cemetery and the entire cemetery is covered with well mowed and even cut domestic grass. Sections are well marked and periodic markers direct visitors to graves sites.

Spring Hill Cemetery is just south of Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard Cemetery before the construction of Interstate Highway 94 in the 1960s is an Orthodox Jewish Cemetery. Spring Hill Cemetery was established 1876 by the Gilead Lodge 41 of B'nai Brith which continues to operate the cemetery to this day. Though predominately a Jewish (Reformed) cemetery it was established and remains nondenominational. It is very much a modern cemetery in look and practice with well-kept graves and mowed lawns very much in the character of modern cemeteries.

Just north of the Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard Cemetery is Calvary Catholic Cemetery. It is the oldest cemetery in this cluster and began burials in 1857. The earliest burials in this cemetery were transferred from other cemeteries being vacated as a result of urban development. This cemetery started as a 55 acre burial area and has grown to encompass over 77 acres. One of the highest points in Milwaukee, Chapel Hill, is located within the boundaries of this cemetery. Grave spacing and size of grave markers vary in this cemetery. Early graves are often adjacent to newer graves. There is also considerable variability in size and ornateness of tombstones. Some with religious motifs others with purely secular designs. There are also a number of chapels, mausoleums, and support structures in this cemetery.

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8. Statement of Significance

Applicable National Register Criteria

(Mark "x" in one or more boxes for the criteria qualifying the property for National Register listing.)

- ☐ A. Property is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history.
- ☐ B. Property is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past.
- ☐ C. Property embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction or represents the work of a master, or possesses high artistic values, or represents a significant and distinguishable entity whose components lack individual distinction.
- ☐ D. Property has yielded, or is likely to yield, information important in prehistory or history.

Criteria Considerations

(Mark "x" in all the boxes that apply.)

- ☐ A. Owned by a religious institution or used for religious purposes
- ☐ B. Removed from its original location
- ☐ C. A birthplace or grave
- ☒ D. A cemetery
- ☐ E. A reconstructed building, object, or structure
- ☐ F. A commemorative property
- ☐ G. Less than 50 years old or achieving significance within the past 50 years

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Areas of Significance

(Enter categories from instructions.)

Period of Significance

Significant Dates

Significant Person

(Complete only if Criterion B is marked above.)

Cultural Affiliation

Architect/Builder

Statement of Significance Summary Paragraph (Provide a summary paragraph that includes level of significance, applicable criteria, justification for the period of significance, and any applicable criteria considerations.)

This cemetery does not meet special criteria for significance.

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Special Requirements Criteria Considerations:

Criteria Considerations A: A religious property is eligible if it derives its primary significance from architectural or artistic distinction or historical importance.

There are no distinctive or architecturally distinctive features in this cemetery. It has the look and feel of just about any 20th century cemetery in the Midwest. Nor is its founding or history uniquely distinct from that of other cemeteries in the region.

Criteria Consideration B: A property removed from its original or historically significant location can be eligible if it is significant primarily for architectural value or if it is the surviving structure most importantly associated with a historic person or event.

This does not apply to Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfar.

Criteria Consideration C: A birthplace or grave of a historical figure is eligible if the person is of outstanding importance and if there is no other appropriate site or building directly associated with his or her productive life.

This cemetery does not contain a unique concentration of prominent individuals in the history of Milwaukee.

Criteria Consideration D: A cemetery is eligible if it derives its primary significance from graves of persons of transcendent importance, from age, from distinctive design features, or from association with historic events.

This cemetery does not contain a unique concentration of prominent individuals in the history of Milwaukee.

Criteria Consideration E: A reconstructed property is eligible when it is accurately executed in a suitable environment and presented in a dignified manner as part of a restoration master plan, and when no other building or structure with the same association has survived.

This does not apply to Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfar.

Criteria Consideration F: A property primarily commemorative in intent can be eligible if design, age, tradition, or symbolic value has invested it with its own historical significance.

There are no design features or particular historic events associated with cemetery to give it its own historic significance.

Criteria Consideration G: A property achieving significance within the last fifty years is eligible if it is of exceptional importance.

There are not events or features of this cemetery dating to the last fifty years that contribute to its significance.

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Name of Property

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Narrative Statement of Significance (Provide at least **one** paragraph for each area of significance.)

9. Major Bibliographical References

Bibliography (Cite the books, articles, and other sources used in preparing this form.)

Bruce, William George
1922 History of Milwaukee City and County. S.J. Clarke Publishing Company, Milwaukee
(Three Volumes).

Gurda, John
2009 One People, Many Paths: A History of Jewish Milwaukee. Jewish Museum of
Milwaukee.

Hamilton, Kelly
2012 Original Construction of the IH-94 E-W Expressway and Impacts to the Wood National
Cemetery, Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfar Cemetery, and Spring Hill Cemetery
and Mausoleum. Museum Archaeology Program, State Historic Society of Wisconsin,
Madison.

Online Resources:

Jewish Museum of Milwaukee
(<http://www.jewishmuseummilwaukee.org/history/timeline/index.php>)

Jewish Virtual Library (<http://www.jewishvirtuallibrary.org/index.html>)

Wisconsin Historic Society: Jews in Wisconsin
(http://www.wisconsinhistory.org/dictionary/index.asp?action=view&term_id=11484&term_type_id=1&term_type_text=people&letter=J)

Jewish Funerals and Burial Customs (<http://jewish-funeral-home.com/Jewish-burial-customs.html>)

Previous documentation on file (NPS):

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Name of Property

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Or

UTM References

Datum (indicated on USGS map):

☐ NAD 1927 or ☒ NAD 1983

1. Zone: 16	Easting: 419772	Northing: 4764749
2. Zone: 16	Easting: 419772	Northing: 4764689
3. Zone: 16	Easting: 419947	Northing: 4764689
4. Zone: 16	Easting : 419947	Northing: 4764769

Verbal Boundary Description (Describe the boundaries of the property.)

This cemetery is bounded on the north by a Utility Corridor, on the east by Wood National Cemetery, on the south by IH-94, and on the west by S. Dana Court.

Boundary Justification (Explain why the boundaries were selected.)

11. Form Prepared By

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United States Department of the Interior
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National Register of Historic Places Registration Form

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1. Name of Property

Historic name: Spring Hill Cemetery

Other names/site number: _____

Name of related multiple property listing: _____

(Enter "N/A" if property is not part of a multiple property listing)

2. Location

Street & number: 166 S. Hawley Court,

City or town: Milwaukee State: Wisconsin County: Milwaukee

Not For Publication: ☐ Vicinity: ☐

3. State/Federal Agency Certification

As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act, as amended,

I hereby certify that this ___ nomination ___ request for determination of eligibility meets the documentation standards for registering properties in the National Register of Historic Places and meets the procedural and professional requirements set forth in 36 CFR Part 60.

In my opinion, the property ___ meets ___XX___ does not meet the National Register Criteria. I recommend that this property be considered significant at the following level(s) of significance:

___national ___X___statewide ___local

Applicable National Register Criteria:

___A ___B ___C ___D

Signature of certifying official/Title:

Date

State or Federal agency/bureau or Tribal Government

In my opinion, the property ___ meets ___ does not meet the National Register criteria.

Signature of commenting official:

Date

Title :

State or Federal agency/bureau
or Tribal Government

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4. National Park Service Certification

I hereby certify that this property is:

- ☐ entered in the National Register
- ☐ determined eligible for the National Register
- ☐ determined not eligible for the National Register
- ☐ removed from the National Register
- ☐ other (explain:) _____

Signature of the Keeper

Date of Action

5. Classification

Ownership of Property

(Check as many boxes as apply.)

- Private: ☒
- Public – Local ☐
- Public – State ☐
- Public – Federal ☐

Category of Property

(Check only **one** box.)

- Building(s) ☐
- District ☐
- Site ☒
- Structure ☐
- Object ☐

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Number of Resources within Property

(Do not include previously listed resources in the count)

Contributing

Noncontributing

buildings
sites
structures
objects
Total

Number of contributing resources previously listed in the National Register _____

6. Function or Use

Historic Functions

(Enter categories from instructions.)

- FUNERARY/cemetery

Current Functions

(Enter categories from instructions.)

- FUNERARY/cemetery

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7. Description

Architectural Classification

(Enter categories from instructions.)

N/A

Materials: (enter categories from instructions.)

Principal exterior materials of the property: _____N/A_____

Narrative Description

(Describe the historic and current physical appearance and condition of the property. Describe contributing and noncontributing resources if applicable. Begin with a **summary paragraph** that briefly describes the general characteristics of the property, such as its location, type, style, method of construction, setting, size, and significant features. Indicate whether the property has historic integrity.)

Summary Paragraph

Spring Hill Cemetery is located immediately southeast of the intersection of Interstate Highway 94 and S Hawley Road. The site is approximately 21 acres in size and presently has about 8000 interred there. It was established in 1876 and remains an active cemetery today. As an active cemetery the grounds, graves, and grave markers are well maintained. Grave and grave markers from the earliest to the most recent burials are well cared for and can clearly be seen throughout the cemetery. Recently, a Mausoleum has been constructed on the northern boundary of the cemetery just south of Interstate Highway 94.

Narrative Description

Spring Hill Cemetery (1876) is located within a cluster of cemeteries which include the Anshai Lebowitz Cemetery, Wood National Cemetery (1871), Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard Cemetery (1924), and Calvary Cemetery (1857). All of these cemeteries are active today and undergo regular maintenance. Each of these cemeteries reflects the beliefs and heritage of its constituents. Spring Hill Cemetery was established 1876 by the Gilead Lodge 41 of B'nai Brith which continues to operate the cemetery to this day. Though predominately a Jewish (Reformed) cemetery it was established and remains nondenominational. It is very much a modern cemetery in look and practice with well-kept graves and mowed lawns very much in the character of modern cemeteries.

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The Anshe Lebowitz cemetery immediately to the south is a Conservative Jewish Cemetery with ties to the Russian Jewish Immigrant Community in Milwaukee. Many of the grave stones are large and very close together with a crowded look. It has the look of a cemetery well cared for but not often visited. According to Jewish Burial Customs described in literature provided by the various Jewish mortuary chapels, "Judaism teaches that mourners should not show excessive grief and should avoid deifying the deceased. To this end, cemetery visitation should not be too frequent." (<http://jewish-funeral-home.com/Jewish-burial-customs.html>)

The Wood National Cemetery to the east of Spring Hill is a military cemetery. As is typical of American Military Cemeteries throughout the United States the stone grave markers are all of the same size and color. Graves are all evenly spaced. There are monuments interspersed throughout the cemetery and the entire cemetery is covered with well mowed and even cut domestic grass. Sections are well marked and periodic markers direct visitors to graves sites.

The Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard Cemetery which was on the north border of Spring Hill Cemetery before the construction of Interstate Highway 94 in the 1960s is an Orthodox Jewish Cemetery. It was established in 1924 by Congregation Beth Hamedrosh Hagadol, one of the oldest congregations in Milwaukee, which was organized in 1892 by the consolidation of Anshe Jacob with Moses Montefiori Gemeinde. Much like the Anshe Lebowitz Cemetery mentioned above this cemetery contains large gravestones which give the appearance of crowded graves. It is an active cemetery, well kept, with very little evidence of regular visitors.

Just north of the Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard Cemetery is Calvary Catholic Cemetery. It is the oldest cemetery in this cluster and began burials in 1857. The earliest burials in this cemetery were transferred from other cemeteries being vacated as a result of urban development. This cemetery started as a 55 acre burial area and has grown to encompass over 77 acres. One of the highest points in Milwaukee, Chapel Hill, is located within the boundaries of this cemetery. Grave spacing and size of grave markers vary in this cemetery. Early graves are often adjacent to newer graves. There is also considerable variability in size and ornateness of tombstones. Some with religious motifs others with purely secular designs. There are also a number of chapels, mausoleums, and support structures in this cemetery.

8. Statement of Significance

Applicable National Register Criteria

(Mark "x" in one or more boxes for the criteria qualifying the property for National Register listing.)

☒

A. Property is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history.

☐

B. Property is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past.

☐

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- ☐ C. Property embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction or represents the work of a master, or possesses high artistic values, or represents a significant and distinguishable entity whose components lack individual distinction.
- ☐ D. Property has yielded, or is likely to yield, information important in prehistory or history.

Criteria Considerations

(Mark "x" in all the boxes that apply.)

- ☐ A. Owned by a religious institution or used for religious purposes
- ☐ B. Removed from its original location
- ☐ C. A birthplace or grave
- ☒ D. A cemetery
- ☐ E. A reconstructed building, object, or structure
- ☐ F. A commemorative property
- ☐ G. Less than 50 years old or achieving significance within the past 50 years

Areas of Significance

(Enter categories from instructions.)

Period of Significance

Significant Dates

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Significant Person

(Complete only if Criterion B is marked above.)

Cultural Affiliation

Architect/Builder

Statement of Significance Summary Paragraph (Provide a summary paragraph that includes level of significance, applicable criteria, justification for the period of significance, and any applicable criteria considerations.)

This cemetery does not meet special criteria for significance.

Narrative Statement of Significance (Provide at least **one** paragraph for each area of significance.)

Special Requirements Criteria Considerations:

Criteria Considerations A: *A religious property is eligible if it derives its primary significance from architectural or artistic distinction or historical importance.*

There are no distinctive or architecturally distinctive features in this cemetery. It has the look and feel of just about any 20th century cemetery in the Midwest. Nor is its founding or history uniquely distinct from that of other cemeteries in the region.

Criteria Consideration B: *A property removed from its original or historically significant location can be eligible if it is significant primarily for architectural value or if it is the surviving structure most importantly associated with a historic person or event.*

This does not apply to Spring Hill Cemetery.

Criteria Consideration C: *A birthplace or grave of a historical figure is eligible if the person is of outstanding importance and if there is no other appropriate site or building directly associated with his or her productive life.*

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This cemetery does not contain a unique concentration of prominent individuals in the history of Milwaukee.

Criteria Consideration D: A cemetery is eligible if it derives its primary significance from graves of persons of transcendent importance, from age, from distinctive design features, or from association with historic events.

This cemetery is not associated with any single or collection of significant historic events.

Criteria Consideration E: A reconstructed property is eligible when it is accurately executed in a suitable environment and presented in a dignified manner as part of a restoration master plan, and when no other building or structure with the same association has survived.

This does not apply to Spring Hill Cemetery.

Criteria Consideration F: A property primarily commemorative in intent can be eligible if design, age, tradition, or symbolic value has invested it with its own historical significance.

There are no design features or particular historic events associated with cemetery to give it its own historic significance.

Criteria Consideration G: A property achieving significance within the last fifty years is eligible if it is of exceptional importance.

There are not events or features of this cemetery dating to the last fifty years that contribute to its significance.

9. Major Bibliographical References

Bibliography (Cite the books, articles, and other sources used in preparing this form.)

Bruce, William George

1922 History of Milwaukee City and County. S.J. Clarke Publishing Company, Milwaukee (Three Volumes).

Gurda, John

2009 One People, Many Paths: A History of Jewish Milwaukee. Jewish Museum of Milwaukee.

Hamilton, Kelly

2012 Original Construction of the IH-94 E-W Expressway and Impacts to the Wood National Cemetery, Beth Hamedrosh Hagodel Anshe Sfard Cemetery, and Spring Hill Cemetery and Mausoleum. Museum Archaeology Program, State Historic Society of Wisconsin, Madison.

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Online Resources:

Jewish Museum of Milwaukee

(<http://www.jewishmuseummilwaukee.org/history/timeline/index.php>)

Jewish Virtual Library (<http://www.jewishvirtuallibrary.org/index.html>)

Wisconsin Historic Society: Jews in Wisconsin

(http://www.wisconsinhistory.org/dictionary/index.asp?action=view&term_id=11484&term_type_id=1&term_type_text=people&letter=J)

Jewish Funerals and Burial Customs (<http://jewish-funeral-home.com/Jewish-burial-customs.html>)

Previous documentation on file (NPS):

- ☐ preliminary determination of individual listing (36 CFR 67) has been requested
- ☐ previously listed in the National Register
- ☐ previously determined eligible by the National Register
- ☐ designated a National Historic Landmark
- ☐ recorded by Historic American Buildings Survey # _____
- ☐ recorded by Historic American Engineering Record # _____
- ☐ recorded by Historic American Landscape Survey # _____

Primary location of additional data:

- ☐ State Historic Preservation Office
- ☐ Other State agency
- ☐ Federal agency
- ☐ Local government
- ☐ University
- ☒ Other

Name of repository: _____

Historic Resources Survey Number (if assigned): _____

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of Property 21

Use either the UTM system or latitude/longitude coordinates

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Latitude/Longitude Coordinates

Datum if other than WGS84: _____

(enter coordinates to 6 decimal places)

1. Latitude: _____ Longitude: _____

2. Latitude: _____ Longitude: _____

3. Latitude: _____ Longitude: _____

4. Latitude: _____ Longitude: _____

Or

UTM References

Datum (indicated on USGS map):

☐ NAD 1927 or ☒ NAD 1983

1. Zone: 16 Easting: 419763 Northing: 4764645

2. Zone: 16 Easting: 419763 Northing: 4764469

3. Zone: Easting: 419929 Northing: 4764469

4. Zone: Easting : 419929 Northing: 4764645

Verbal Boundary Description (Describe the boundaries of the property.)

The cemetery is bounded on the north by IH-94, on the east by Wood National Cemetery, on the south by the Anshai Lebowitz Cemetery, and on the west by S Hawley Court.

Boundary Justification (Explain why the boundaries were selected.)

11. Form Prepared By

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date: January, 2013

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Additional Documentation

Submit the following items with the completed form:

- **Maps:** A **USGS map** or equivalent (7.5 or 15 minute series) indicating the property's location.
- **Sketch map** for historic districts and properties having large acreage or numerous resources. Key all photographs to this map.
- **Additional items:** (Check with the SHPO, TPO, or FPO for any additional items.)

Photographs

Submit clear and descriptive photographs. The size of each image must be 1600x1200 pixels (minimum), 3000x2000 preferred, at 300 ppi (pixels per inch) or larger. Key all photographs to the sketch map. Each photograph must be numbered and that number must correspond to the photograph number on the photo log. For simplicity, the name of the photographer, photo date, etc. may be listed once on the photograph log and doesn't need to be labeled on every photograph.

Photo Log

Name of Property:

City or Vicinity:

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County:

State:

Photographer:

Date Photographed:

Description of Photograph(s) and number, include description of view indicating direction of camera:

1 of ____.

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BIBLIOGRAPHY OF ARCHAEOLOGICAL REPORT FORM

WHS/SHSW # _____ COUNTY Milwaukee County

AUTHORS: David Keene

REPORT TITLE: Archaeological Investigations, I-94 East-West and Stadium Interchange, 70th Street to 25th Street, National Avenue to Lisbon Avenue, Milwaukee County, Project ID 1060-27-00

DATE OF REPORT (MONTH AND YEAR): January 2013

SERIES/NUMBER: _____

PLACE OF PUBLICATION: Middleton, Wisconsin

LOCATIONAL INFORMATION [LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF SURVEY AREA (T-R-S)]

T7N., R21E., Section 25, 26, 27 and 34, 35, 36

U.S.G.S. QUAD MAP(S): Milwaukee, Wisconsin

SITE(S) INVESTIGATED: 6

ACRES INVESTIGATED: _____ AGENCY # _____

INVESTIGATION TECHNIQUES COMPLETED (Check all that apply.)

- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Avocational Survey | <input type="checkbox"/> Chance Encounter | <input type="checkbox"/> Controlled Surface Collection |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Faunal Analysis | <input type="checkbox"/> Floral Analysis | <input type="checkbox"/> Geomorphology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Historical Research | <input type="checkbox"/> Interview/Informant | <input type="checkbox"/> Land Use History |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Literature Background Research | <input type="checkbox"/> Major Excavation | <input type="checkbox"/> Mechanical Stripping |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Monitoring | <input type="checkbox"/> Osteological Analysis | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Phase I-Surface Survey |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Phase II | <input type="checkbox"/> Phase II-Corridor Only | <input type="checkbox"/> Phase III |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Phase III-Corridor Only | <input type="checkbox"/> Records/Background | <input type="checkbox"/> Records/Background (Pred. Model) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Remote Sensing | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shovel Testing/Probing (Inten) | <input type="checkbox"/> Soil Core |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Surface Survey (Intensive) | <input type="checkbox"/> Test Excavation | <input type="checkbox"/> Traditional Knowledge |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vandalism | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Walk Over (Reconnaissance) | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | | |

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